

## **Fact Sheet**

**What:** Seventh annual Veterans Day Parade

Why: Honoring veterans in Maricopa County

When: Tuesday, November 11, 2003, at 11:00 a.m.

**Theme:** Heroes One and All

Where: Parade route is southbound on Central Avenue from Indian

School to McDowell Road

Marshals: Celebrity Grand Marshal is former ABC News 20/20 co-

anchor Hugh Downs

Veterans Grand Marshals: Returning Air National

Guardsmen and women from Operation Iraqi Freedom

Congressional Medal of Honor Grand Marshal:

Congressional Medal of Honor recipient Fred Ferguson and Congressional Medal of Honor recipient Silvestre Herrera

Participants: Veterans units proudly carrying our American Flag called

Color Guards, a 47 foot helium balloon depicting Uncle Sam,

local Armed Forces Reserve Units, local veterans groups,

several bands, floats and much more.

**Hotline** #: The Parade Hotline number is (602) 222-6512